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# **AGENDA FOR ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

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## **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:**

THE CITY OF YONKERS ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 15, 2021 AT 5:00 P.M. WILL BE CONDUCTED IN A MANNER PURSUANT TO GOVERNOR CUOMO'S EXECUTIVE ORDER 202.1; IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE AT THIS MEETING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.

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### **DECISIONS**

# 5660 – Area Variance – James G. Dibbini Esq., on behalf of Nepperhan Heights Associates, LLC, owner, on premises known as 540 Nepperhan Ave, Block 2179, Lot: 25, Zone: I (B20584)

# 5661 – Area Variance – James G. Dibbini Esq., on behalf of Nepperhan Heights Associates, LLC, owner, on premises known as 578 Nepperhan Ave, Block: 2179, Lot: 5, Zone: I (B20596)

# 5724 – Area Variance – Andrew Romano, Esq., on behalf of Orchard Street LLC, owner, on premises known as 125 Orchard Street, Block: 2174, Lot: 101, Zone: A (B22298)

# 5732 – Area Variance – Shahin Badaly, P.E., on behalf of Oluwatosin Shokeye, owner, on premises known as 45 Elizabeth Place, Block: 3075, Lot: 104, Zone: T (B22555)

# 5746- Area Variance - Jacob Schofield, owner, on behalf of himself, on premises known as 17 Livingston Avenue, Block: 163, Lot: 54, Zone: M (B24021)

# 5749- Improvement to a Non-Conforming Use - Andrew Romano, Esq., on behalf of CSAR Holding LLC, owner, on premises known as 782 North Broadway, Block: 3021, Lot: 5, Zone: S-50 (B26664)

#### **CONTINUED HEARINGS**

- # 5715 Area Variance Tom F. Abillama, R.A., on behalf of 1969 Central Park Avenue LLC, owner, to construct a self-storage center with retail on ground floor, having:
  - Exceeding maximum FAR. Ref. 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 1.5, proposed 2.13);
  - Exceeding maximum building height. Ref. 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 48 ft., proposed 73.14 ft.);
  - Insufficient rear yard. Ref. 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 25 ft., proposed zero ft.);
  - Insufficient side yard. Ref. 43-27, Table 43-3. (required 25 ft. one side, proposed zero ft. one side);
  - Parking in the minimum side-front yard not permitted. Ref. 43-133.A.(3);
  - Parking in the minimum front yard not permitted. Ref. 43-133.A.(3);
  - Insufficient retail store depth. Ref. 43-36.M.(1). (required 60 ft., proposed 28 ft./scaled);
  - Insufficient loading zone spaces for self-storage warehouse. Ref. 43-36.M.(2). (required 7 for storage, proposed 2 for storage);
  - Parking within 5 ft. of a property line not permitted. Ref. 43-44.B. (5) (proposed zero ft.);
  - Insufficient parking aisle width. Ref. 43-134.A.12. (required 24 ft., proposed 20 ft./-scaled);
  - Refuse Area not permitted in side-front yard. Ref. 43-42.C.(1);
  - Exceeding maximum height of retaining wall/building wall. Ref. 43-41.D.3.a. (required 6 ft., proposed 69 ft.);

on premises known as **1969 Central Park Avenue**, Block: 4385, Lot: 206, Zone: BR (B19994)

- #5716 Improvement to a Non-Conforming Use Gibbons Engineering, PC, on behalf of 687 Nepperhan Corp, owner, for 2<sup>nd</sup> floor interior alteration, including the removal of stairs and closing of stair opening, whereas:
  - Improvement to a non-conforming use requires Zoning Board of Appeals approval per Section 43-21G (residences in an industrial zone);

on premises known as 687 Nepperhan Avenue, Block: 2420, Lot: 12, Zone: I (B22644)

- # 5727 Area Variance Andrew Maniglia of Ginsburg Development, on behalf of Pier LLC 70, owner, on premises known as 70 Pier Street, Block: 146, Lot: 1.4, Zone: M (B24085)
- # 5730 Area Variance James J. Veneruso, Esq., on behalf of 2700 Central Park Avenue Partners LLC, owner, on premises known as 2592 (2700) Central Park Avenue, Block: 4877, Lot: 60, Zone: BR (B24536)
- # 5740- Area Variance Janet J. Giris, Esq., Esq., on behalf of N Broadway LLC, owner, on premises known as 316 North Broadway & 315 Palisade Avenue, Block: 2155, Lot: 59 & 16, Zone: M (B22920)
- # 5741– Improvement to a Non-Conforming Use & Area Variance Jennifer Porter, Esq., on behalf of Silver Bell Company, owner, & JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A., lessee, on premises known as 1222 Nepperhan Avenue, Block: 3182, Lot: 15, Zone: I (B22243)
- # 5743- Area Variance David Steinmetz, Esq., on behalf of Miroza Tower LLC, owner, on premises known as 40 aka 44 Hudson Street, Block: 502, Lot: 1.10, Zone: DWD (B26744)

# 5744- Area Variance - Andrew Romano, Esq., on behalf of Martin J. Loftus, Jr., owner, on premises known as 118 Kingsley Drive, Block: 4412, Lot: 54, Zone: S-60 (B22712)

# 5745— Area Variance — Andrew Romano, Esq., on behalf of Croton Terrace Enterprises Inc., owner, on premises known as 14 Orchard Street, Block: 2076, Lot: 17, Zone: MG (B22842)

# 5747– Area Variance – William S. Null, Esq., on behalf of Parkview Equities LLC, owner, on premises known as 15 Parkview Avenue, Block: 5652, Lot: 43, Zone: A (B27258)

# 5748– Area Variance – Andrew Romano, Esq., on behalf of Smerlin Cuello, owner, on premises known as 212 Warburton Avenue, Block: 2097, Lot: 60, Zone: M (B23151)

#### **NEW HEARINGS**

# 5736– Area Variance – James J. Veneruso, Esq., on behalf of 26 West 5<sup>th</sup> Street LLC, contract vendee, to construct a new 4 story, 24 unit residential rental apartment building with onsite parking, having:

- Exceeding maximum permitted floor area ratio, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 1.25, proposed 1.79);
- Insufficient side yard, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 12'/25', proposed 4'/8');
- Insufficient front yard, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 15', proposed 5');
- Insufficient rear yard Section 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 25', proposed 1.5');
- Exceeding Maximum permitted building coverage 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 40 %, proposed 84.42 %);

on premises known as **83-94 Vineyard Avenue**, Block: 2170, Lot: 84 (78, 82), Zone: M (B23753)

# 5750- Area Variance - Randolph Carter, R.A., on behalf of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, owner, for construction of a church, having:

- Insufficient side yard, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 and 43-35.C (required 50 ft., proposed 25 ft.);
- Insufficient side-front yard, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 and 43-35.C (required 50 ft., proposed 25 ft.);
- Insufficient front yard, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 and 43-35.C (required 50 ft., proposed 25 ft.);
- Parking within 5 feet of all property lines not permitted, Reference Yonkers Zoning Ordinance 43-44.A.9.b. (proposed 4'-4" on North side);
- Parking within 10 feet of a building on the same lot is not permitted, Reference Yonkers Zoning Ordinance 43-44.A.9.b. (proposed 6.0 ft.);
- Parking in the side-front yard not permitted. Ref. 43-138.A.(2). (spaces 1, 2, 3, 28, 29, 30, 27, 26, 25);
- Parking within 10 ft. of the right of way of a public street not permitted. Ref. 43-134.A.(4). (Proposed 3.5 ft. on the South driveways);
- Fences and walls, including retaining walls, must not exceed 4 feet in height in a required front yard setback or in any other required yard setback abutting a street and 6 feet in height within any other required yard setback (Reference Yonkers Zoning Ordinance 43-41.D.3.a) (proposed height Unknown);
- Exceeding maximum permitted steeple height. Ref. 43-35.C.(6). (required 48 ft. max, proposed height unknown);

on premises known as **201 Glenwood Avenue aka 176 Park Avenue**, Block: 2161, Lot: 39, Zone: MG (B27042)

# 5751- Non-Conforming Use - Stephen A. Veneruso, Esq, on behalf of 155 Warburton Ave Realty LLC, owner, for the conversion of a building to a two family residence, whereas:

• Change of use of a vacant building to a non-conforming in a CM zone requires a zoning variance;

on premises known as 155 Warburton Avenue, Block: 2099, Lot: 13, Zone: CM (B24278)

# 5752- Area Variance - Andrew Romano, Esq., on behalf of AR Consulting Engineer PC, owner, to construct a new two family dwelling, having:

• Insufficient front-yard, Section 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 20 ft., proposed 9 ft.); on premises known as **50 Vineyard Avenue**, Block: 2078, Lot: 12, Zone: A (B23684)

# 5753— Area Variance – James G. Dibbini, Esq., on behalf of Monique Abrams, owner, for an addition to an existing one family dwelling, having:

• Insufficient front yard setback. Ref. 43-27, Table 43-3 (required 29.50 ft., proposed 25.16 ft.);

on premises known as 2 Stoneleigh Road, Block: 4961, Lot: 47, Zone: S-100 (B26714)

### **OFF-AGENDA ITEMS**

Case #5529	450 Walnut Street	Extension Request
Case #5692	1097 North Broadway	Extension Request
Case #5642	750 Central Park Avenue	Extension Request
Case #5637	25 Torre Place	Amend Condition

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